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About this Pilot Project

The purpose of this site is to make information and [evidence-based strategies](#) related to the Healthy People 2010 objectives easier to find. The National Library of Medicine and the Public Health Foundation staff have worked together to develop pre-formulated search strategies for selected [Healthy People 2010](#) focus areas.

These one-click strategies search [PubMed](#), a database of the National Library of Medicine that provides access to over 11 million citations from MEDLINE and additional life science journals. PubMed includes links to many sites providing full text articles and other related resources. Click on the focus areas listed below to link to specific search strategies.

- [Access to Quality Health Services](#)
- [Disability and Secondary Conditions](#)
- [Food Safety](#)
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This site is a pilot project funded by the [National Library of Medicine](#), with assistance from the [Public Health Foundation](#) and the [National Network of Libraries of Medicine](#). Eventually the Partners hope to expand the range of searches to cover all Healthy People 2010 focus areas. Your feedback is important to this project and will be greatly appreciated.

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"Evidence-based strategies" means that this project:

- draws its citations from the peer-reviewed literature available through PubMed
- is designed to yield more information on interventions and models than the extent or nature of problems addressed by a Healthy People objective
- ensures that all preformulated searches were reviewed by Public Health Foundation staff or external subject matter experts to check that searches adequately capture most published literature (available through PubMed) related to achieving the objective
- provides links to relevant guidelines

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Access to Quality Health Services


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 [1-1](#) - Increase the proportion of persons with health insurance

 [1-3a](#) - Increase the proportion of persons appropriately counseled about health behaviors, specifically smoking cessation counseling

 [1-3g](#) - Increase the proportion of persons appropriately counseled about health behaviors - STD prevention counseling

 [1-4](#) - Increase the proportion of persons who have a specific source of ongoing care.

 [1-8](#) - In the health professions, allied and associated health profession fields, and the nursing field, increase the proportion of all degrees awarded to members of underrepresented racial and ethnic groups

Related Resources

[Guide to Community Preventive Services. TOPICS: Sociocultural Environment](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Health System Topics](#)



[MEDLINEplus-Health Insurance](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Health Occupations](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Sexual Health](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Smoking Cessation](#)



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Disability and Secondary Conditions

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● [6-1](#) - Include in the core of all relevant Healthy People 2010 surveillance instruments a standardized set of questions that identify "people with disabilities."

● [6-2](#) - Reduce the proportion of children and adolescents with disabilities who are reported to be sad, unhappy, or depressed.

● [6-6](#) - Increase the proportion of adults with disabilities reporting satisfaction with life.

● [6-10](#) - Increase the proportion of health and wellness and treatment programs and facilities that provide full access for people with disabilities.



Related Resources

[Guide to Community Preventive Services. TOPICS:Sociocultural Environment](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Disabilities \(General\)](#)





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Food Safety


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 [10-1](#) Reduce infections caused by key foodborne pathogens.

 [10-3](#) - Prevent an increase in the proportion of isolates of Salmonella species from humans and from animals at slaughter that are resistant to antimicrobial drugs.

 [10-5](#) - Increase the proportion of consumers who follow key food safety practices.

 [10-6](#) - Improve food employee behaviors and food preparation practices that directly relate to foodborne illnesses in retail food establishments.

 [10-7](#) - Reduce human exposure to organophosphate pesticides from food.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Food Poisoning](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Food Safety](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Salmonella Infections](#)



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Public Health Infrastructure

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[23-5](#) - Increase the proportion of Leading Health Indicators, Health Status Indicators, and Priority Data Needs for which data-especially for select populations-are available at the Tribal, State and local levels.

[23-10](#) - Increase the proportion of Federal, Tribal, State, and local public health agencies that provide continuing education to develop competency in essential public health services for their employees.

[23-11](#) - Increase the proportion of State and local public health agencies that meet national performance standards for essential public health services.

[23-16](#) - Increase the proportion of Federal, Tribal, State, and local public health agencies that gather accurate data on public health expenditures, categorized by essential public health service.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Health System Topics](#)

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Respiratory Diseases

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[24-2](#) Reduce hospitalizations and [24-3](#) hospital emergency department visits for asthma.

[24-6](#) - Increase the proportion of persons with asthma who receive formal patient education, including information about community and self-help resources, as an essential part of the management of their condition.

[24-7](#) - Increase the proportion of persons with asthma who receive appropriate asthma care according to the NAEPP Guidelines. [Focus on written asthma management plans from health care providers (24-7a) and patient education to recognize and respond to early signs and symptoms. (24-7c)]

[24-8](#) - Establish in at least 25 States a surveillance system for tracking asthma death, illness, disability, impact of occupational and environmental factors on asthma, access to medical care, and asthma management.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Lungs and Breathing Topics](#)



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Environmental Health

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OUTDOOR AIR QUALITY



● [8-1](#) - **Outdoor Air Quality.** Harmful Air Pollutants: Ozone and Particulate Matter. Reduce the proportion of persons exposed to air that does not meet the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's health-based standards for harmful air pollutants.



Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Air Pollution](#)

[NLM Specialized Information Services - World Trade Center - Lingering Airborne Effects](#)

[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health - Outdoor Air](#)



WATER QUALITY



● [8-5](#) - **Safe Drinking Water.** Increase the proportion of persons served by community water systems who receive a supply of drinking water that meets the regulations of the Safe Drinking Water Act.

● [8-6](#) - **Waterborne Diseases.** Reduce waterborne disease outbreaks arising



from water intended for drinking among persons served by community water systems.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Drinking Water](#)

[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health - Water Quality](#)

TOXICS AND WASTES

● [8-11](#) **Lead Poisoning.** Eliminate elevated blood lead levels in children.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Lead Poisoning](#)

[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health - Toxics/ Waste](#)

[Guide to Clinical Preventive Services, 2nd Edition, 1996, Elevated Lead Levels](#)

HEALTHY HOMES AND COMMUNITIES

● [8-16](#) - **Indoor Air.** Reduce indoor allergen levels.

● [8-18](#) - **Radon.** Increase the proportion of persons who live in homes tested for radon concentrations.

● [8-21](#) - **Disaster Planning.** Ensure that State health departments establish training, plans, and protocols and conduct annual multi-institutional exercises to prepare for response to natural and technological disasters.

● [8-22](#) - **Lead Paint.** Increase the proportion of persons living in pre-1950s housing that has been tested for the presence of lead-based paint.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Poisoning, Toxicology and Environmental Health Topics](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Lead Poisoning](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Radon](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Anthrax](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Biological and Chemical Weapons](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Disaster and Emergency Preparedness](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Smallpox](#)

[NLM Specialized Information Services-Chemical Warfare Agents](#)


[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health -Healthy Homes and Community](#)


[Guide to Clinical Preventive Services, 2nd Edition, 1996, Elevated Lead Levels](#)

INFRASTRUCTURE AND SURVEILLANCE

[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health -Infrastructure/Surveillance](#)

GLOBAL HEALTH

 [8-29](#) **Global Burden of Disease.** Reduce the global burden of disease due to poor water quality, sanitation, and personal and domestic hygiene.

 [8-30](#) - **Water Quality in the US-Mexico Border Region.** Increase the proportion of the population in the U.S.-Mexico border region that have adequate drinking water and sanitation facilities.

Related Resources

[MEDLINEplus-Drinking Water](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Travelers Health](#)

[MEDLINEplus-Infectious Diseases](#)

[Healthy People 2010 & Environmental Health - Global Health](#)

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The "pre-formulated" search strategies save time and take the guess work out of choosing the right search terms.



- Keep in mind that no search is perfect. Although the terms and strategies for these Healthy People objectives were carefully chosen and constructed, some references may not be relevant to your research.
- PubMed is not a "full-text" database. Your searches will retrieve references with descriptive abstracts. You may be able to ["link-out"](#) to the full text article in PubMed or request articles from your area medical or hospital library through the National Library of Medicine's [Loansome Doc](#) service.
- If you find the "perfect" reference in your PubMed search, click on the "Related Articles" feature to retrieve more of the same.
- To view the reference abstract, click on the authors name.
- For detailed information on searching in PubMed, go to [HELP/FAQ](#) or the new [PubMed Tutorial](#) on the main PubMed search screen.
- Use the "Back" button on your browser to return to the Healthy People 2010 Search Strategies page from PubMed.



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